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SUBJECT: EXTENSION OF TWO USARM CONSTRUCTION CONTRACTS

1. YIM TIN TSAI HOUSING PROJECT UNDER HKCS CONTRACT S188-FA-925 WILL EXPIRE JUNE 30, 1975 WITH THE 81 HOUSING UNITS COMPLETED BUT NOT THE COMMUNITY CENTER. CONSTRUCTION OF THIS CENTER STARTED MAY 22 AND WILL REQUIRE 120 WORKING DAYS FOR COMPLETION. A CONTRACT EXTENSION OF FOUR MORE MONTHS IS NECESSARY.

2. ON THE COMMUNITY AND YOUTH CENTER AT SHATIN UNDER CRS CONTRACT S188-FA-897 WHICH WILL EXPIRE 6/30/75, HKG APPROVED GRANT OF SITE IN JUNE 1974; GENERAL PLANS WERE APPROVED BY FIRE SERVICES AND PWD AND THE STRUCTURAL PLANS SUBMITTED IN SEPTEMBER 1974; SITE CLEARED AND PILING TENDER SELECTED IN DECEMBER 1974; PILING SUBCONTRACT SIGNED AND QUANTITY SURVEYOR APPOINTED IN JANUARY 1975; PILING AND STRUCTURAL PLANS APPROVED BY PWD IN MARCH 1975. PILING IS TO COMMENCE EARLY JUNE 1975 AND QUANTITY SURVEYOR WILL COMPLETE CALCULATIONS JULY 1975 BY WHICH TIME IT SHOULD BE POSSIBLE TO HAVE CONSTRUCTION TENDERS CALLED AND WORK COMMENCED SOON THEREAFTER. IT SEEMS APPARENT THAT A ONE-YEAR EXTENSION IS NEEDED FOR COMPLETION OF THE PROJECT.

3. DEPARTMENT IS THUS REQUESTED TO AUTHORIZE THAT CONTRACT S188-FA-925 BE EXTENDED TO SEPTEMBER 30, 1975, AND CONTRACT S188-FA-897 TO JUNE 30, 1976.

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